



COVID-19 Updates & Discussion Meeting Notes

April 15, 2020

Present:

Chair Brad Sperling, PRRD

Shawn Dahlen, Chief Administrative Officer, PRRD

Mike Bernier, MLA, Peace River South

Kori Elden, Recording Secretary, PRRD

The meeting commenced 11:11 am

Action Items:

- Concerns brought up during the Site C call this morning:
 - An update on their burn piles as fire bans are in effect tomorrow. Provincial Health issued that burn piles can enhance COVID-19 infection. Waiting for an answer from Site C.
 - There are 900-1000 workers at Site C, how many are local vs how many are still flying in? The daily updates don't break it down and the last Regional Community Liaison Committee (RCLC) quarterly break down was in February 2020.
- PRRD submitted an FOI request to the Ministry of Energy, Mines & Petroleum Resources in regards to the Old Fort slide and it was declined. PRRD asked for a review of the application to be reconsidered.
 - Exposure is harmful to law enforcement – what does this mean? Section 15 – may be tied to an ongoing investigation or possible litigation.
 - Mike suggested being more specific about which documents PRRD is requesting.
- Mike will talk to Dan about the Old Fort slide information and find more up to date specifics about Site C.
- Through the province PRRD asked whether closure of regional district parks should be considered. There is no directive saying they have to be closed.
 - Mike will bring this up on the next provincial call and inquire about private campgrounds.

The meeting finished at 11:25 am